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From: Peterson, Cynthia
Sent: Wed 10/14/2015 11:07:24 PM
Subject: RE: Draft transition announcement v4.docx
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All,

Attached is a revised ICP Transition Announcement that incorporates the approved language suggested by Dana. Markup and clean copy attached.

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From: Card, Joan
Sent: Wednesday, October 14, 2015 4:29 PM
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Cynthia, can you tweak/personalize this version for an email? We can finalize tomorrow.
Thanks. Joan

From: Tulis, Dana
Sent: Wednesday, October 14, 2015 4:25 PM
To: Card, Joan; Cheatham, Reggie
Cc: Ostrander, David; Guy, Kerry
Subject: RE: Draft transition announcement v4.docx

Thank you, I started to edit it, but I prefer that you all do, please use the approved messaging below that we already worked on with OPA and modify accordingly.

The water and sediment impacted by the Aug. 5 Gold King Mine release remain at pre-event conditions, and construction is underway for a water treatment facility to manage water quality over the winter. The Superfund Removal Program will continue to work on stabilizing the mine. As the agency transitions from emergency response to long-term mitigation, the Incident Command staff will gradually demobilize and close by the end of this month. Regional and Headquarters staff have already assumed most of the long-term response roles. The Superfund Removal Program and the Office of Water are now finalizing the Conceptual Monitoring Plan for the Gold King Mine release and will conduct the first round of sampling this fall. Regional staff will also continue to coordinate with local, state, and tribal nations and conduct in-person visits to impacted communities to ensure close consultation on these long-term efforts.

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From: Card, Joan
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Dana, Reggie, this is the short email R8 would like to send to those who have been engaged with IC in Durango up to now. Please run through appropriate channels and let us know. Thanks.
Joan